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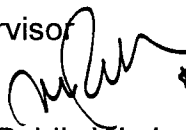
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January 27, 2010

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Gail Farber   
Director of Public Works

### **PROJECT NO. 1232, CITY OF CARSON EMERGENCY REPAIR OF FLOOD CONTROL CHANNEL WALL**

On July 5, 2006, your Board approved an as-needed, on-call emergency contract with W. M. Lyles Company, Inc., and Steve Bubalo Construction Company, Inc. As part of your approval, you asked that we report to your Board all emergency repairs carried out under this contract. This memo should serve to inform you that on January 22, 2010, we entered into an emergency contract with Steve Bubalo Construction Company, Inc., to repair a 50-foot-long section of a reinforced concrete channel wall within a Flood Control District channel known as Project No. 1232 located in the City of Carson. The channel wall collapsed on January 21, 2010, during a rain event. The cause of the collapse is being investigated by our staff engineers.

W. M. Lyles Company, Inc., was contacted and inspected the jobsite. However, it was mutually agreed that the work could not be completed within the required timeframe. We then contacted Steve Bubalo Construction Company, Inc., to reconstruct the channel wall. The repair work is scheduled to be completed by January 29, 2010, at an estimated cost of \$150,000.

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cc: Chief Executive Office (William T. Fujioka, Lari Sheehan)  
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